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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	09/780,678
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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)		
1001	750	2001	375	Utility filing fee	<input type="text"/>
1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee	<input type="text"/>
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee	<input type="text"/>
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	<input type="text"/>
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	<input type="text"/>
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b> (\$0)					

**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE**

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
30	3		29** = 1 X 18. = 9.	<input type="text"/>
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Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description			
Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee (\$)			
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20	<input type="text"/>
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	<input type="text"/>
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	<input type="text"/>
1204	84	2204	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	<input type="text"/>
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	<input type="text"/>
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**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	<input type="text"/>
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	<input type="text"/>
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	<input type="text"/>
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	<input type="text"/>
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	<input type="text"/>
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	<input type="text"/>
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	<input type="text"/>
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	<input type="text"/>
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	<input type="text"/>
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	<input type="text"/>
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	<input type="text"/>
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	<input type="text"/>
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	<input type="text"/>
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	<input type="text"/>
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	<input type="text"/>
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	<input type="text"/>
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	<input type="text"/>
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	<input type="text"/>
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	<input type="text"/>
1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	<input type="text"/>
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	<input type="text"/>
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	<input type="text"/>
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	<input type="text"/>
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	<input type="text"/>
1809	750	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	<input type="text"/>
1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	<input type="text"/>
1801	750	2801	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	<input type="text"/>
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	<input type="text"/>
Other fee (specify) _____					
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